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FORT BEND LONG DISTANCE COMPANY SEEKS FCC CONSENT FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL TO TXU ENERGY INDUSTRIES COMPANY

PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED

Fort Bend Long Distance Company ("Fort Bend") and TXU Energy Industries Company ("TXU Energy") have filed an application pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 214, requesting Commission approval to transfer control of international and domestic authorizations held by Fort Bend to TXU Energy.

SECTION 214 APPLICATIONS

Part 63 - International Service (47 C.F.R. § 63.18)

The following application for consent to transfer of control of TXU Energy to Fort Bend involves international Section 214 authorizations. The application has been assigned the following file number:

File No.

Licensee

ITC-T/C-20000403-00197

Fort Bend Long Distance Company

Domestic

Fort Bend has filed an application to transfer control of its domestic Section 214 authorizations to TXU Energy.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The transfer of control requests listed herein have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return any application if, upon further examination, it is determined to be defective and not in conformance with the Commission's rules or policies.

Final action will not be taken on these applications earlier than fifteen days following the date of this notice. Interested parties may file comments or petitions to deny no later than **April**

26, 2000. Oppositions to such pleadings may be filed no later than **May 3, 2000.** All filings concerning any or all of the matters referenced in this Public Notice should refer to **DA 00-856,** as well as the specific file numbers of the individual applications or other matters to which the filings pertain.

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.1200(a), which permits the Commission to adopt modified or more stringent *ex parte* procedures in particular proceedings if the public interest so requires, we announce that this proceeding will be governed by **permit-but-disclose** *ex parte* procedures that are applicable to non-restricted proceedings under 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

An original and four copies of all pleadings must be filed with the Commission's Secretary, Magalie Roman Salas, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-B204, Washington, D.C. 20554, in accordance with Section 1.51(c) of the commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.51(c). **In addition, one copy of each pleading must be delivered to each of the following locations:** (1) the Commission's duplicating contractor, International Transcription Services, Inc. ("ITS"), 445 12th Street, S.W., CY-B402, Washington, D.C. 20554; (2) Johanna Mikes, Policy and Program Planning Division, Common Carrier Bureau, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 5-C163, Washington, D.C. 20554; and (3) Justin Connor, Telecommunications Division, International Bureau, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 6-A821, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Copies of the applications and any subsequently filed documents in this matter may be obtained from International Transcriptions Services, Inc. ("ITS"), 445 12th Street, S.W., CY-B402, Washington, D.C. 20554, (202) 314-3070. The applications and documents are available for public inspection and copying during normal reference room hours at the following Commission offices: Office of Public Affairs, Reference Operating Division, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room CY-C314, Washington, D.C. 20554.

For further information, contact Johanna Mikes, Policy and Program Planning Division, Common Carrier Bureau at (202) 418-1535 (Domestic) or Justin Connor, International Bureau, Telecommunications Division at (202) 418-1476 (Part 63, Section 63.18).

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